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Mar. 17, 1870.-38—1y.

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And all would fain its fruit possess—
All eager, watch it longingly;
The fruit it bears is called Success.

The path to some is rough and steep,
The tree itself with thorns is thick;
Through tangled brushwood some must creep,
Some climb it easy—gather quick.

It blossoms bright, it blossoms fair,
Its brilliant bloom the sight enthralls;
Some fail to reach't for all they dare,
Full ripe to some it easy falls.

Attracted by its golden hue,
Attracted by its golden glitter,
All obstacles some struggle through,
To find the fruit, alas, but bitter!

But most who taste its fairy flavor,
And to their lips it fondly press,
Say nothing can surpass the savor
Of the freshly-gathered fruit, Success!

Selected Story.

Why Bangs Hated Dogs.

"Get out"

"Bangs, that is my dog!"

"Yes, I know it. Get, out you brute!"

And shied at him an iron paper weight.

My face flushed.

"Bangs," said I, "excuse me, but I've an affection for that dog."

"Excuse me," Phils, but I've an antipathy against all dogs. Get out, vermin!"

And he gave my black and-tan a vicious kick, that sent him howling into the coridor. Bangs shut the door, locked it and put the key into his pocket.

"I wish, Phils, the next time you come to my office you would leave that brute behind. I've a most unconquerable antipathy against all canines, and ——"

Bangs might have said more, but the look on my face must have convinced him that I was seriously angry.

"Suppose we let this pass," he said. "I was wrong, I'll admit; I ought not to have kicked your pup, but you don't know how I hate 'em big and little. Sit down, Phils, and let me tell you something that heretofore has been a secret with me—a secret hidden from the gaze of the cold, unsympathizing world. I feel that now some explanation is proper for me to make, in the hopes that it may prevent a misunderstanding between two such firm friends as we have been in the past, and, I hope will be in the future."

I sat down in the chair Bangs pointed to, and said:

"Go on!"

"I don't know" continued Bangs, "that I ever had any particular dislike to dogs previous to the circumstances which I am about to relate. Do you remember the Spring I took a trip into the country?"

"Very well," I replied.

"That was some six years ago. I had confined myself very closely to business ever since my admittance to the bar, and I thought a month in the country would freshen me up considerably."

"It did not seem to, if I remember rightfully," I said.

"You'll not wonder at it, Phils, when I tell you all about the facts. I went down to a little seaside resort, called San Marino—ever been there?"

"Never."

"Well, it's a queer sort of a place. There is a very fine stream of water courses down from the mountains and empties into the sea about half a mile from the town; although there is no town there, only a little hotel and blacksmith's shop. The stream empties into the sea in Winter, during the heavy rains, but in Summer time the surf banks up the mouth with sand, and forms quite a lake or lagoon. 'Laguna la Puritas' is the Spanish name. The proprietor of the hotel had a few little sail boats fitted up, and they were in constant use by his guests. Game is plenty in the hills about there—deer and quail; the creek is full of speckle trout, and the hotel is just far enough from the sea to render the climate delightful. The San Marino House was filled to its utmost capacity that season. It was a curious kind of a crowd gathered there. City sportsmen, with dogs, guns, fishing tackle, etc.; superannuated old women, and, for the benefit of the sea breeze, young boys fourteen or fifteen years old, making their first trip from home alone; two or three grass widows, a somewhat fast clergyman, rode down from the city on his velocipede, and three or four young ladies and a dozen frisky schoolgirls. On the whole, it was as jolly a crew as ever gathered together. With horseback riding, boating, fishing and hunting, the time passed rapidly enough. I said there was three or four young ladies, but, so far as I was concerned, there was only one, Miss Tootie Tusby—excuse me Phils, but I cannot speak that name, even now, without emotion."

And Bangs drew forth his handkerchief and wiped his eyes vigorously.

"I cannot describe all of her charms; but, Phils, if ever there was an angel in this world she was one. I devoted myself to her from the first. When Miss Tootie rode I rode, if she walked I walked; when she went fishing, Bangs went fishing. If she sailed on the lake, Bangs was there also. Phils, I loved that that girl—and when I think of what separated us, you certainly will excuse me, but——"

There the handkerchief again came into requisition, and Bang's voice failed him completely.

"Did you propose," I asked.

"No, Phils, no. Ah! if I only had!"

"What prevented?"

"Well, nothing but my own folly. I was faint hearted when it came to that. I had it in my mouth a dozen times, but my tongue failed me. There was another fellow there, too, that made me terribly jealous. She didn't show him any particular favors, but he was a great admirer of her, any one could see, and, really, I wasn't certain in my mind which she preferred. She might, in time, perhaps, have shown some preference and my doubts been dispelled had it not been for the affair that happened which I am about to relate, and which blighted all my future life."

"Bad as that?" I said.

"Phils, you never were in love; you never lost the one heaven assigned for you—you don't know anything about it."

"That is so; go on."

"There was a party at the San Marino House one evening, a *soire dansante,* or something like that, they called it. They sent up to the city for music, and went in for a gay time. I was counted out somewhat, for, you know, I don't dance. The other fellow did. More than that he danced with Tootie nearly all the time. Phils you don't know anything about it; you never had the girl you loved dancing with your rival all the evening right before your eyes, while you sit in a corner like a knot on a log—see him in the quadrilles, when all the rest of the couples simply take each other's hands and promenade, see that fellow just put his arm around that girl and then go waltzing or polkaing all about the room, every time, right in front of you, and that cussed fellow treading on your corns every chance he can get—you don't know anything about it."

"Well, I couldn't stand it; it was too much. I rushed out and started off toward the sea. I don't know as I had any intentions of suicide, but I was in a desperate mood. The path to the beach led along by the side of the lagoon, and by the time I had gone a hundred yards I changed my mind, and thought I wouldn't go down to the beach but would take a swim in the lake. That is about all the accomplishment I possess, and one can't show that off before the ladies, you know—not in the same way you can dancing.

"I disrobed under the branches of a huge alder, or sycamore, or some such tree, and struck out for the other side of the lake. The moon was shining brightly and the water was warm and delightful. I grew cool, and soon was enjoying to the utmost the luxury of the situation. I almost forgot for the time the Miss Tusby and her admirer. Having crossed to the other side, I swam along in the dark seadow of the alders until I came to the sea beach. Then I noticed that the moon was getting low, I must return soon before I was missed at the party. After a short rest I plunged in again, and struck out for the place where I had left my clothes. I could find it easily by the large tree growing there. In fifteen minutes I was there, and Phils the situation of things about that time was precarious."

"How's that?"

"I couldn't find my clothes! Gone, sir! every article except my plug hat. I rushed around among the brush, and nettles, and poison oak, like a setter after a quail. Jerusalem! whew! I tell you I got a dose that lasted me for a month. Not a rag of clothing could I find. At length I happened to look up at the path to the hotel. What do you suppose I saw; A cursed greyhound, that belonged to my rival, with my white vest tossing it upon his nose and dragging it about amongst the dirt and tar weed as though it had been an old dish-cloth. The situation flashed upon me in an instant. The dog had stolen my clothes in sport, and there I was, out there in the night air, with no possible show of getting into the house without discovery. Pleasant wasn't it?"

"Decidedly!"

"You don't know anything about it, sir. That was nothing to what followed. I was wondering how in the dickens I was to get out of the scrape, I looked up toward the hotel again, and I saw something that fairly made my blood freeze in my veins. I saw three persons coming down the path and I at once recognized them as my rival, Wilkins, Miss Tootie and another young lady. They met the dog when about half way between the lake and the hotel. I saw by their actions that the discovery of the vest had alarmed them. They all came hurrying down the path toward the very spot where I stood. Phils, that was a situation I hope never to be placed in again!"

"Undoubtedly! Did you take to the water?"

"I dare not do it, but it would have been better if I had. You see, I had been in the water too long already. I was in an awful shiver—goose flesh all over me. There wasn't time to deliberate long. My first thought was to spring up into the tree, and I did so. They came rushing down to the water's edge, under the tree just beneath me. I could hear their voices quite plainly. They were discussing the probability of my being drowned.

"I was roosted up there on a limb, shivering like sin, nothing on but my plug hat, you know. By-and-by, they began to talk about going back to the hotel and giving the alarm. I could hear one of the ladies weeping; but hang me if I could tell which one. I was anxious to know, of course, for if it was Miss Tootie, the fact would be significant, at least. In my anxiety to discover which one was crying, I crept noiselessly out a few feet further on the limb. I didn't stop to consider that the sycamore is a very brittle tree. Stretching my neck to the utmost, I peered down through the leaves, and crash!"

"The limb broke!"

"Yes, sir; and I found myself stretched out at full length on the sand, right in the midst of them. Oh, Jupiter Ammon! Phils you don't know anything at all about it! I prayed for an earthquake to open and swallow me up; but it didn't."

"Well, the denoument?"

"The girls looked at me in astonishment a moment, and there was a tremendous fluttering of white dresses as they ran back toward the hotel. Wilkins burst into a roar of laughter and kept it up until I sprang up, collared him, and told him as he valued his life to go to the hotel and bring me my valise, which contained an extra suit of clothing. I made him promise to keep mum, too, until I was clear of the place. He was glad to do that, for if I left he would have the whole field to himself. He brought the valise as he promised, and I walked eight miles that night to the next hotel. The next day I took the stage for the city. Miss Tusby married Wilkins, and I never have seen her since that fatal night."

"And, therefore, you hate dogs?"

"And who wouldn't? If it hadn't been for that dog, I never should have met with that accident. I might have won Miss Tusby, I might now have been the father of a large and flourishing family, instead of a misanthropic bachelor. I might——"

Here Bangs was interupted by someone rapping at his office door. He unlocked it, and ushered in a disconsolate looking fellow, who, on seeing me, intimated a wish to consult him privately.

Bang's private office is separated from his reception room by sliding doors, as he thought. But it happened that the track on which they ran was out of order, and the doors slid open about three inches. Unavoidably I listened to the whole conversation.

"You are lawyer Bangs, are you not?" said the stranger.

"Yes, sir. Can I do anything for you?"

"I think so. I am unhappy in my marriage relations."

"Ah! that's bad. Thinking for a divorce?"

"Yes, sir."

"Ah! Perhaps it is best, where two cannot live together happily. Personally I have always thought the marriage state the only happy one in the world."

"You are not married"

"Oh, no, sir; might have been possibly had it not been for an unfortunate accident I once——"

"You ought to think yourself lucky, sir," interrupted the stranger.

"Perhaps so. But let us attend to this business of yours. On what grounds do you intend to prpceed"

"Incompatibility of temper, first."

"Can't agree, eh?"

"No, sir; could as soon agree with the devil!"

"Anything else?"

"Yes, sir; deception. She claimed to be a maiden lady."

"Wasn't she?"

"She had been married three times, and was the mother of three children."

"That was bad."

"Her reputation, I now know, is not good. She was nothing but an adventuress."

"Let us get the thing in shape. I will take down your statements."

And immediately I could hear Bangs scratching away with his pen.

"Your name?"

"John Badger?"

"Wife's name?"

"Susan Badger."

"Name when you married her?"

"Susan Tinkham. Tinkham committed suicide six months after their marriage."

"Name before she married Tinkham?"

"Plunket. Plunket ran away and left her, and she got a divorce from him."

"Ah, ha! She's one of 'em isn't she? What was her name before she married Plucket?"

"Wilkins. He lived with her about a year, and he got a divorce."

"Wilkins; name sounds familar. Do you know her name before she married him?"

"Yes, sir. It was Tusby—Susan Tusby, or Tootie Tusby, as she was called."

I heard a dull thud on the floor, a cry of dismay from the stranger, and, throwing open the doors, I rushed in

Bangs had fainted.

Miscellaneous.

The New School Law.

As much interest is felt throughout the State in relation to the changes which were made in the School Law by the General Assembly at its last session, we publish the following in explanation thereof from Professor McIver:

The amendment to the School Law, ratified Feb. 12, 1874, repeals the rules and regulations which the State Board of Education had adopted, and the provisions of which are substantially as follows:

That the school districts shall be as nearly square in form as the situation of the several localitities and the convenience of neighborhoods will permit.

That the school house shall be as near the centre of the school population of the district as practicable.

That the people of each district shall elect three suitable persons District Trustees, the people of each race electing their own Trustees.

That the District Trustees of each District shall solicit voluntary contributions to defray half the cost of building, repairing and furnishing the District school houses, and to supplement the school money due the District, so that the public school may be continued each year, as long as the people of the District may desire; that they shall determine the time at which the school shall begin, recomend a teacher who will be acceptible to the people of the District, and assist the School Committe in all matters relating to the District school.

These rules and regulations having been repealed by the General Assembly cannot be re-enacted by the Board of Education.

The recent regulation which is published in a foot note on the blank forms of orders for school money has not been repealed. It remaint in full force, and is as follows:

The law intends that the highest prices, to-wit: $20, $30 and $40, a month, according to grade of the teacher shall be paid only for schools in which twenty or more pupils are taught. If a number of pupils is less than twenty, the highest prices which may be paid out of the Public School Funds are. To a teacher who hold a third grade certificate one dollar month for each pupil; to a teacher who holds a second grade certiscate, one dollar and a half per month for each pupil; to a teacher who holds a first grade certificate, two dollars a month for each pupil, counting the number of pupils in all cases by there average attendance.

The act also changes the time at which the Registers of Deeds is required to report, from July to October of each year, and makes it the duty of the school committees to report to county Treasurer the sums of money apportioned to the school districts of their respective townships.

These are the only changes which have been made in the school law by the General Assembly at the last session, and they are published for information, in answer to many inquiries.

ALEX. MCIVER,
Supt. Pub. Instruction.

The following epitaph is offered to the medical faculty at Philadelphia, to be inscribed over what is left of the remains of the Siamese twins, when they finish cutting and carving them:—

"They were not lovely in their lives,
And in death they were divided."

An editor, who speaks with the air of a man who has discovered a new fact by experience, says that the new way to prevent bleeding at the nose is to keep your nose out of other people's business.

Some one has been looking over the records of the Legislature of West Virginia and finds that at its last session it passed a law "to prevent the owners of hogs from runing at large."

A San Franciscoan being annoyed by a mud puddle in the street, reported

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A WORD ABOUT THE "PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY."

As a part of the political and social economic history of the times we published a few weeks ago the platform or declaration of principles adopted by the National Grange at St. Louis. As our readers observed, the platform is almost purely ideal. It is summed up in the central thought of favoring all measures which are calculated to secure greater prosperity, enlargement of influence, and better training of the husbandry of the country. That ideal may never be reached, but it is far better that persons should have high resolves and aim to achieve great deeds than that they should go through life unconscious of any objective mission—living only to exist.

Viewed from this standpoint, we believe that the principles of the order—though the order itself should be rent with dissensions—will remain permanently engrafted as a part of the policy of agriculturists, and that their influence will be felt for centuries to come. We believe, moreover, that that this association of agriculturists will constitute a counterpoise to the increase of population in the cities, and that a closer unity and harmony among the landed proprietors of the country will be fruitful of good results. In fact, the so-called learned classes have of late years become so barren of positive ideas, so neglectful of those political duties, and so indifferent in statesmanship that the enlargement of the political power of agriculturists is not likely, in the aggregate, to deteriorate the public service. Like all classes upon whom does not rest the direct responsibility of carrying on the Government, they are swayed for the present by jealousy and parsimony; but as soon as they become an integral part of the Government, and are charged with its responsibility, their minds will be enlarged and they will recognize the lesson that the Government can no more than private individuals obtain more ability and power than it is willing to pay for.

Our readers will bear us witness that with nearly, if not quite all, the principles enunciated in the platform we have been in full accord. Indeed every number of the NORTH CAROLINIAN, even those issued before the order obtained influence and consideration, proves that we have endeavored to promote the *general* welfare by and through the promotion of the individual welfare of every class of society. And if we should ever come in collision with the Grangers it will be upon the ground that we shall advocate the *universality* of principles they have ennunciated and their *impartial application to every class of society.* In proportion as the Grange movement becomes catholic and universal, and ceases to be a class movement, in that proportion will it meet the approbation of the civilized world.

THE WILL OF THE PEOPLE.

In reply to several queries recently sent us by certain friends we make the following general response. It covers the whole ground:

We are not an advocate of centralization. We protest against any legislation which benefits a class seperately. The people, as a whole, are omnipotent in the control of public affairs. They can and ought to say who shall be their executive servants and what these servants should do. We believe in the "Divine right" of *the people to rule themselves*—in the sacred will of the majority to control. We also believe in minority rights and minority representation. But we do not indorse factiousness in a minority. Men may honestly disagree. But the theory of our Government is that *the people* are the sovereign.

The Government of our country rests with, inheres in and belongs to the people governed. It is a mutual agreement to submit to the will of the majority; and so long as it is so the minority must abide the agreement. If the majority abuse their power through their elected representatives and executive officers, the majority will become the minority and evils will or ought to be corrected.

The American people should not lose sight of the fact that they are ruled by a compact which gives no man other than representative power; and the *will of the people* is that power.

There is no question but Elizabeth City ought to be, and can be made the chief commercial centre of Eastern North Carolina. We have all the natural advantages, and all now needed is that these advantages be "taken at the flood" and utilized. Our people are awakened. Let every man put his shoulder to the wheel and push the matter forward.

Here in Eastern North Carolina active energy and skillful labor can be made to pay. Never before in the world's history was there a better opening for practical farmers to get cheap homes and make themselves comfortable.

THE NEWSPAPER.

Newspapers have a much larger circulation among the people and a far greater influence than books. We do not claim that the newspapers are indebted for this to greater learning, better style of composition, or a more deliberate manner of preparation, for in all these we acknowledge that books have the advantage over newspapers; though the difference is not so great as is commonly supposed, and we have seen much published in book form that would not be admitted into the columns of the NORTH CAROLINIAN. The grater circulation and influence of the papers is due chiefly to their greater cheapness. To buy the matter published in one volume of the NORTH CAROLINIAN, and furnished for Two Dollars, would cost in book form not less than Twenty-five dollars. This extra cost does not go to the authors, but it pays the book binders and remunerates the publisher for the work of publishing and the bookseller for the labor of selling the book.

We doubt if there is any land on the globe that would have stood the exhaustive system of farming adopted for the past fifty years in Eastern North Carolina and still continue to produce so well. The large plantation system, the non saving of manures and the farming, year after year, with the same crop would long ago have so impoverished the land in any other section that nothing would grow upon it. The system has been a bad one and the results, of course, are being seen and felt. The same labor, and care and utilizing of all the home made manures that is practiced elsewhere would soon make the soil in this section the most productive in the world.

A recent advertisement contains the following startling information: "If the gentleman who keeps a shoe store with a red head will return the umbrella of a young lady with the ivory handle to the slate roofed grocer's shop, he will hear of something to his advantage, as the same is the gift of a deceased mother, now no more, with the name engraved upon it.—*Exchange*

The man who would keep an umbrella after such an appeal is—is—unfit to live! *We* would surrender, well a circus tent upon a slighter provocation.

A further examination of the Siamese twins has shown that their lives were in reality one organ, and that the connecting band contained four pouches of peritoneum, beside liver tissue These disclosures show that any attempt during life to separate the twins would, in all probability, have proved fatal. It is quite probable that we do not know much more about the matter than we did before the twins died.

As is elsewhere announced MILLARD FILLMORE, the thirteenth President of the United States died at his home in Buffalo N Y., on the 8th inst. He was born on the 7th of January 1800, and was elected Vice President in 1848 with Gen. TAYLOR as President. He became President on the 9th of July 1850, Gen. TAYLOR having died.

To the immigrant who knows how to farm there is no section offering greater inducements than this section of Eastern North Carolina. By utilizing all the elements here furnished by the hand of Providence the industrious and intelligent farmer cannot fail to do well.

A cotemporary speaks of a young gentleman whose leading characteristic was forbearance. His face bore the imprints of his sweetheart's nails, but he excuses her by saying that her attentions always were marked!

It is said that two cows is the current market value of a woman in Eastern Africa.—*Ex.*

In the United States it often requires but *one calf* to obtain a charming bride, especially if he has money of his own.

Until recently the cotton seed has been wasted. It has been found to make a valuable oil and the cake the richest of cattle food. When not thus utilized it can be made one of the best of fertilizers.

Reports from India give destressing accounts of the famine prevailing there. In Bengal over a million of persons are starving to death.

Gen. JOHN S. MILLSON, a distinguished lawyer and citizen of Norfolk died very sudenly with an attack of heart disease on the 1st inst.

The Women's Temperance crusade coutinues, and has been introduced into hundreds of towns and cities.

Within the last six months President GRANT has appointed thirty Post Mistresses.

CORRESPONDENCE

To the Republican Party of the County of Pasquotank.

It is generally claimed by, and acceeded to at all political parties, which have a decided majority, that they have a right to have all the political offices filled from their own ranks, and of their own choosing.

It is admitted that the Republican Party has a decided majority in Pasquotank County, and may, therefore, have a right to have the polttical offices filled from its own ranks, and of its own selection.

But there are offices which are not political, and to which the foregoing principles do not appiy. It is submitted as a principle, sustained by all correct and fair dealing, and against which there does not seem to be a single argument, that the class of people, who pay the large proportion of the taxes, and bear the burdens of the government, should have some voice in levying the taxes, and some oversight, control or direction of the manner of disposing of those funds raised by taxation.

It is submitted, that a large portion of the Revenue or Taxes of the County is paid by those who belong to the Conservative or Democratic Party. It is, therefore, but the claim of common justice, and fair play, that the Conservative or Democratic party, should, not only have a voice in the Board of County Commissioners, but that they should hold the controling influence in that Board, and be responsible for its action. That party does not now ask of you to surrender any of the political offices, or even to give them any controlling influence in the Board of County Commissioners; and though they think that it would be just and fair, to let them have three of the Commissioners, yet, they respectfully submit, to the Republican party, that at its next nomination for County Commissioners, it shall only nominate *three*, and leave the other two to be nominated by the other party.

You can afford to be generous, and it may be your interest to do so.

The same reasons apply to the Mayor and Commissioners of the town of Elizabeth City, and the appeal is made to the Republicans of the Town to leave two of the "City Fathers" to be nominated by the

CONSERVATIVES.

Elizabeth City, March 5th, 1874.

Proceedings of County Commissioners.

OFFICE BOARD COMMISSIONERS }
Pasquotank Co. Mar. 5, 1874. }

Pursuant to adjournment the Board met C. W. Smith, Chairman, Edmund Dailey, James S Wilcox, Abram Morris and Emanuel Davis.

The Court gives judgement in the case Jno. R. Jackson et als vs Wm. B. Pritchard et als argued before this Board on 2nd inst in favor of the plaintiffs.

Ordered that the Clerk be directed to notify the Board of Trustees of each Township to meet and list the taxes in their respective Townships on the first of April as required by law.

Ordered that James S. Wilcox be appointed to employ a carpenter to repair the room to be occupied by the Register of Deeds and that he be instructed to have the same done by the first Monday in April also that he employ some one to repair Knobs Creek Bridge so that it shall not be dangerous to travelers.

Ordered that Drs. A. S. Morgan and W. J. Lumsden be allowed $15 each for medical services examining lunatics, they being county charges.

Ordered that Benony James be allowed $21.50 for work at Poor House.

Ordered that Violet Perkins be allowed $15 for taking care of Lilie Perkius while at her house and unable to be removed to the Poor House.

The following is a list of Jurymen drawn for the Spring Term 1874:

FIRST WEEK.

Alfred Turner, Joseph L. Lawrence, Wm. Cartwright, Henry C. Palmer, Thos L. James, Jas. D. Weymout, George Glover. Henry C. Perry, David Love, D. D. Sawyer, Wilson Overton, Jonathan Wood, Joseph F. Saunders, James Jackson, Simeon Pritchard, J. P. White, John Charles, Wilson Jackson, Jno. L. Wood, James P. Turner, Reuben Morgan, Benjamin Lowry, Samuel Weisel, Alfred Bowe, Thos. R. Bland, Wm. J. Carvor, Benony Cartwright, R. H. Raper, Thos. O. Towe, Wm. A. Cartwright, Columbus Miller. Andrew Bailey, Elbert Brothers, John Forbes; Thos. C. Harrell, Willis Morris.

SECOND WEEK.

Cicero Pool, Wm: T. Jordan, J. Anderson Hollowell, S. D. Scott, Wm. S. Temple, Wm. Parsons, F. M. Smithson, H. B. Coleman, Anthony Sohnson, Isaac Williams, Benjamin Pendleton, Wm. E. Wood, Miles Commander, Sandford Scott, T. C. Fletcher, Wm. B. Berry, John A. Meeds, Isaac Gallop.

On motion the Board adjourned.

JNO. T. PRICE, Clerk.

Proceedings of City Commissioners.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, }
Elizabeth City, N. C., }
March 3rd, 1874. }

Commissioners met. Present Jno. T. Price, Mayor pro tem, Commissioners, M. B. Culpepper, Thos. A. Commander, L. Brothers and Wm. Steger.

Ordered that Isaac Martin be allowed an order for $50 for laying 20,000 brick at the Baptist and Episcopal Churches.

Ordered that M. B. Culpepper be allowed $66.48 for hauling on the streets 21 days and paying W. W. Griffin for sawdust, &c.

Ordered that G. M. Jennings be allowed $38.75 for lighting street lamps.

Ordered that Wm. Jordan be allowed $2.25 for overcharge in taxes 1873.

Ordered that Conrow, Bush & Lippincott be allowed $228.27 for 7609 feet of Lumber furnished corporation.

Ordered that P. W. Melick be allowed $6.40 for six Lamps furnished corporation.

Ordered that Anthony Morgan be allowed $8 for repairing bridges in the corporation.

Ordered that Brodrick & Smith be allowed $14.10 for 47 gallons of Kerosene furnished the corporation.

On motion the Board adjourned.

JNO. T. PRICE,
JOS. COMMANDER, Mayor Pro Tem,
Clerk.

From Washington.

In the United States Senate a bill was introduced correcting the punctuation in the tariff bill of 1872 under which fruits were admitted free of duty. The Centennial bill to appropriate $3,000,000 for the National Exhibition at Philadelphia was discussed. The probability is that it will be defeated. The Currency, the Bank bill and the Liquor tariff subject were again debated. The Chaplain made an extraordinary prayer. The "spirit of lying that is abroad" so vexed his soul that he called upon the Supreme Ruler of the Universe "to paralyze the hand that writes wilful detraction," and to "palsy the tongue that utters wanton calumny." The Louisana bill claimed further attention. A bill providing for the organization of the Oklahoma was introduced.

In the House of Representatives a number of private bills were considered. The Civil Rights bill was discussed. The Franking privilege bill was defeated. The bill to regulate transportation by railroads was debated. The Executive, Legislative and Judicial Appropriation bills were considered.

President on the Centennial.

The President sent the following message to Congress on Wednesday of last week:

I have the honor herewith to submit the report of the Centennial Commissioners, and to add a word in way of recommendation. There have now been international expositions held by three of the great powers of Europe. It seems fitting that the one-hundredth anniversary of our independence should be marked by an event that will display to the world the growth and progress of a nation devoted to freedom and to the pursuits of fame, fortune and honors by the lowest citizen as well as the highest. A failure in this enterprise would be deplorable. Success can be assured by arousing public opinion to the importance of the occasion. To secure this end, in my judgement, Congressional legislation is necessary to make the exposition both national and international. The benefits to be derived from a successful international exposition are manifold. It will necessarily be accompanied by expenses beyond the receipts from the exposition itself; but they will be compensated for, manifold, by the commingling of people of all sections of our own country, by bringing together the people of different nationalities, by bringing into juxtaposition for ready examination our own and foreign skill and progress in manufactures, agriculture, art, science and civilization. The selection of the site for the exposition seems to me appropriate from the fact that one hundred years before the date fixed for the exposition the Declaration of Independence, which launched us into the galaxy of nations as an independent people, emanated from the same spot. We have much in our varied climate, soil, mineral products and skill, of which advantage can be taken by other nationalities to their profit In return they will bring to our shores works of their skill, and familliarize our people with them to the mutual advantage of all parties. Let us have a complete success of our Centennial Exposition, or suppress it in its infancy, acknowledging our inability to give it the international character to which our self-esteem aspires.

U. S. GRANT.

Executive Mansion, Feb. 25, 1874.

The accompanying report of the Commission says the governments of the following countries have officially communicated their decission to participate in the exhibition, viz: The German Empire, the Netherlands, Belgium, Mexico, Ecuador and Hayti. The Commission urge an appropriation by Congress, amount not specified.

WARRANTED.

Four to six botttles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery are warranted to cure Salt Rheum or Tetter and the worst kind of Pimples on the face. Two to four bottles are warranted to clear the system of Boils, Carbuncles and Sores. Four to six bottles are warranted to cure the worst kind of Erysipelas and Blotches among the hair. Six to ten bottles are warranted to cure Running of the Ears and Corrupt or Running Ulcers. Eight to ten bottles are warranted to cure Scrufulous Sores and Swellings. Two or six bottles are warranted to cure Liver Complaint.

A WONDER TO HERSELF.

TANKTOWN, Delaware Co., }
O., March 20, 1873. }

To Dr. R. V. PIERCE:

Your Discovery needs only a fair trial and it will do all you recommend it to do and more too. When I was fifteen I caught cold and for twenty-eight years I have been a perfect wreck of disease, and all the medicines and doctors' bills have run up at times to two and three hundred dollars, and never any better but worse, when I give up all hope last spring of living the summer through. I received one of your Account Books and told my husband after reading it that it was too late to try furthur, but he said it was never too late. He went and bought two bottles and I found it was helping me very much. Since 1841 I was troubled with Catarrh and Sore Throat, and was almost entirely deaf in one ear and my voice was as dull as could be. There was constant pain in my head. Now my head is as sound as a dollar, my voice is clear, and I have used ten bottles of your Discovery. It has cured me of Catarrh, Sore Throat, Heart Disease, Spine Affection and Torpid Liver. My Liver was very bad. My skin was rough. When I put my hand on my body it was like fish scales. Now it is as smooth and soft as a child's. In conclusion I will say I have been well for three months. I am a wonder to myself and friends. This is but an imperfect statement, half has not been told.

Yours with respect.
HESTER LACKEY.

Death of Ex-President Millard Filmore.

Buffalo, March 8,—Ex-President Millard Filmore died at his residence, in this city, at ten minutes past eleven tonight. He was conscious up to the time of his death. At eight o'clock in the evening, in reply to a question by his physician, he said nourishment was palateble. These were his last words. His death was painless.

Buffalo March 9.—The funeral of Ex-President Filmore will take place on Thursday next, at 2 P. M. The final programme has not yet been arranged. Buffalo is draped in mourning, all the courts and the Board of Trade have adjourned and flags are flying at half-mast from public and private buildings.

PROCLAMATION BY THE PRESIDENT.

Executive Mansion
Washington, March 9th, 1874

It is with deep regret that the President announces to the people of the United States the death of Millard Filmore, one of his predecessors who died at Buffalo, N. Y., last evening: The long continued and useful public service and eminent purity of character of the deceased Ex-President will be remembered beyond the days of mourning, in which a nation will be thrown by the event which is thus announced. As a mark of respect to his memory it is ordered that the Executive Mansion and the several departments at Washington be draped in mourning until the close of the day on which the funeral shall take place, and that all business be suspended on the day of the funeral. It is further ordered that the War and Navy Departments cause suitable military and naval honors to be paid on the occasion to the memory of the eminent citizen whose life is now closed.

(Signed) U. S. GRANT

By the President:
HAMILTON FISH,
Secretary of State.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York.

"HALL JONES" writes of a recent visit to the Grand Central Hotel, as follows:

During the Winter without disturbing the guests, fresh decorations have been added in every direction. New designs in Fresco work have been finished throughout the halls, parlors, principal staircases, grand dining room, and exchanges. Standing in the rear of the grand exchange, facing Broadway, the *tout ensemble* is magnificent—unrivaled in Europe or America. The floor spreads out before you, like a marble lake, an entire block in length and many feet wide. Above, the richly frescoed ceilling is supported by a dozen or more carved Corinthian columns, while the massive suspended 'chandelers' gleam at night like a sheen, with the glitter of a hundred white globes of light. Wander where you will, all is in keeping with taste and beauty. The Grand Central is hardly approached in style and appointment by any other hotel in New York, and yet its rates are from one to two dollars less than other first class hotels being $300. $3,50 and $4,00 per day. Mr. Powers, its proprietor, seems to have solved perfectly, for the public, the problem of moderate rates and luxurious surroundings.

A little boy carrying home some eggs from the grocery, dropped them. "Did you break any?" asked his mother, when he told her of it. "No," said the little fellow, "but the shells came off some of 'em."

There are 25,000 women in the Iowa granges, each of whom is intrusted with a vote.

The Hillsdale College edifice, at Hillsdale, Michigan, was burned on the 6th. Loss, $75,000; insurance, $50,000.

The sitting-room of an Indianapolis couple is ornamented with four certificates of divorce, handsomely framed.

Millville, Wis., has had one hundred and seven days of good sleighing during the season.

Twelve hundred and forty-six schools houses have been built in Iowa within the past two years. This is exclusive of the ones rebuilt to take the place of old ones.

A Wisconsin clergyman has been found guilty by a church council of "not always handling the truth with sufficient carefulness to meet the demands of veracity."

Good little Jefferson county boys of 18 and 20 kiss their young lady teachers, like the other children, when dismissed from school in the evening.—*Cleveland Plain-Dealer.*

What is the difference between extradition and extra edition? One puts a poor devil in prison and the other keeps a poor devil at work.

A Chicago man wrote to Agassiz that he had an apple which he had preserved for fifty years, and when Agassiz wrote for it the joker said it was the apple of his eye.

A California paper, having obtained a new subscriber, records the startling fact in a half column article headed "Still another! Our course endorsed by the people."

"None knew him but to trust him nor named him but to dun," is the pathetic sentence with which a Delaware merchant closes an advertisement for a missing enstomer.

In the South it costs a bale of cotton, in the West a stack of hay, in Cincinnatti a barrel of pork, in Virginia a hogshead of tobacco, in Pensylvania a ton of pig-iron, and in New England a first class sewing machine—to dress a belle for a ball.

The *Journal of Chemistry* says that a chain of compresseed cakes of gun cotton tied around the trunk of a large tree and exploded will cut it down instantly by the violence of its action. The cut through the trunk is as sharp as that done by the keenest axe.

Senator Sumner has in his possession a gold watch which was presented by Washington to Lafayette after the battle of Yorktown. Upon it is this inscription: "G. Washington to Gilbert Mortier de Lafayette, in commemoration of the capitulation of Lord Cornwallis at Yorktown, Oct., 17, 1781.

Thirty thousand Highland pines, or Scotch firs, have been shipped from Dundee, Scotland, to this country, to be planted in the arid plains west of the Mississippi. The Highland pine is very hardy and of rapid growth, and believed to be well suited to the peculia country for which it is destined.

EMINENT MEN OF SCIENCE have discovered that electricity and magnetism are developed in the system *from the iron in the blood.* This accounts for the debility, low spirits, and lack of energy a person feels when this vital element becomes reduced. The Peruvian Syrup, a protoxide of iron, supplies the blood with its iron element, and is the only form in which it is possible for it to enter the circulation.

Mr. O'Clarence missed his knife, Monday morning. He had laid it right on the mantle-shelf the night before, and if anything could not stay just where he put it, he'd like to know the reason of it. The knife was not there now, and he tore about the house in a hopeless search for it. Mrs. O'Clarence mildly suggested that he might have left it at the shop, but received such a withering glance in reply that she sincerely regretted the unhappy remark. He prosecuted the search with great vigor, looking under the stove, between the beds, and on the highest shelfs of the china closet. It was not absolutely necessary for any one to be in the room with him to get the drift of his observations. Finally he put his hand in his pocket, and found the knife there. But he concealed his gradtitude so effectually that Mrs. O'Clarance was in doubt as to his feeling it, and merely said that he'd like to catch any one fooling with that knife again.—*Danbury News.*

PAIN-KILLER!

1840. 1874.

TIME TESTS THE MERITS OF ALL THINGS.

Thirty Years is certainly long enough time to prove the efficacy of any medicine, and that the Pain Killer is deserving of all its proprietors claim for it, is amply proved by the unparelleled popularity it has attained. It is a sure and effective remedy. It is sold in almost every country in the world, and it needs only to be known to be prized, and its reputation as a Medicine of Great Virtue, is fully and permanently established. It is the great Family Medicine of the age. Taken internally, it cures Dysentery, Cholera, Diarrhoea, Cramp and Pain in the Stomach, Bowell Complaint, Painters' Colic, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, or Indigestion, Sudden Colds, Sore Throat and Coughs. Taken Externally, it cures Bruises, Boils, Felons, Cuts, Burns, Scalds, Old Sores and Sprains, Swellings of the Joints, Toothache, Pain in the Face, Neuralgia and Rheumatism, Chapped Hands, Frost Bitsen Feet, &c.

Pain is supposed to be the lot of us poor mortals, as inevitable as death and liable at any time to come upon us. Therefore, it is important that remedial agents should be at hand to be used on emergency, when we are made to feel the excruciating agony of pain, or the depressing influences of disease. Such a remedial exists in Perry Davis' "Pain-Killer," the fame of which has extended over all the earth. Amid the eternal ices of the Polar regions, or beneath the intolerable and burning suns of the tropics its virtues are known and appreciated. And by it suffering humanity has found relief from many of its ills. The effect of the Pain-Killer upon the patient, when taken internally in cases of Cough, Cold, Bowel Complain, Cholera, Dysentery, and other affections of the system, has been truly wonderful, and has won for it a name among medical preparations that can never be forgotten. Its success in removing pain, as an external remedy, in case of Burns, Bruises, Sores and Sprains, Cuts, Stings of Insects, &c., and other causes of suffering has secured for it the most prominent position among the medicines of the day. Beware of counterfeits and worthless imitations. Call for Perry Davis' Vgetable Pain-Killer, and take no other.

☞ Sold by Druggists and Grocers.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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W. A. PRICE,
Postmaster.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE—*Estate of F. D. Bunnell, Dec'd.*

Having taken out Letters of Administration upon the estate of F. D. Bunnell dec'd, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said deceased to exhibit the same to me properly authenticated, and all persons indebted to the same are requested to make immediate payment.

GEO. W. CHARLES,
Administrator.

Elizabeth City, N. C., March 11, 1874-6t.

NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administrator of the Estate of the late F. D. Bunnell, I shall on Tuesday, the 31st day of March offer for sale at

PUBLIC AUCTION

before the Court House door in Elizabeth City, N. C., Four valuable horses: one being a splendid stallion called "Morgan Tiger," one other an elegant trotter trained for the Race Course called the "Prince of Wales," for which my intestate stated he paid Six Thousand Dollars; the other horses Air Line and Fred Douglas are valuable family horses gentle and quick. At same time and place I shall sell various vehicles and other chattle property.

TERMS OF SALE: On the horses Morgan Tiger and Air Line, they having a lien on them, a cash payment of $250.00 will be required on the two, in pro rata to their Sale; on the other horses one fourth CASH will be required, the residue of purchase money on all the horses must be secured to be paid in Six Months with interest from date, with bond and two good securities at least. All the other property will be sold for *Cash.*

This 10th of March, A. D. 1874.

GEO. W. CHARLES, Adm'r,
38-3t. of F. D. Bunnell.

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THE BEST ADVICE

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A distinguished clergymen of New York speaking of this remedy characterizes it as "one of the special blessings of the nineteenth century." The certainty of its healing effect, said he, and the immunity from danger, whether administered to child or to adults adapt it for the widely popular use it has attained. None would long suffer from lung complaint if they knew how easily they can be cured by this remedy. By its timely use all pulmonary diseases may be arrested and consumption—the scourge that sweeps away thousands every year—would be checked in its beginning. Persons with a seated cough, which breaks their rest at night, will find by taking the Expectorant on going to bed they will enjoy unbroken sleep and refreshing rest. Having a very pleasant taste, it is easily administered to children. Sold by all druggists. Laboratory 48 and 50 Cortlandt street, New York. 38-4yr.

NOTICE.

U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE
SPECIAL TAXES,

May 1st, 1874 to April 30th, 1875.

The Law of December 24, 1872, requires every person engaged in any business, avocation, or employment which renders him liable to a Special tax, to Procure and place Conspicuously in his Establishment or place of Business a Stamp denoting the payment of said Special Tax for the Special Tax year beginning May 1, 1874, before commencing or continuing business after April 30, 1874.

The Taxes embraced within the provisions of the law above Quoted are the following, viz:

Rectifiers	$200.00
Dealers, retail liquor	25.00
Dealers, wholesale liquor	100.00
Dealers in malt liquors, wholesale	50.00
Dealers in malt liquors, retail	20.00
Dealers in leaf tobacco	25.00
And on sales of over $1,000, fifty cents for every dollar in excess of $1,000.	
Dealers in manufactured tobacco	5.00
Manufacturers of stills	50.00
And for each still manufactured	20.00
And for each worm manufactured	20.00
Manufacturers of tobacco	10.00
Manufacturers of cigars	10.00
Peddlers of tobacco, first class (more than two horses)	50.00
Peddlers of tobacco, second class (two horses)	25.00
Peddlers of tobacco, third class (one horse)	15.00
Peddlers of tobacco, fourth class (on foot or public conveyance)	10.00
Brewers of less than 500 barrels	50.00
Brewers of 500 barrels or more	100.00

Any person, so liable, who shall fail to comply with the foregoing requirements will be subject to severe penalties.

Persons or firms liable to pay any of the Special Taxes named above must apply to M. C. McNAMARA, Collecter of Internal Revenue at Plymouth, N. C. or any of his Dep. Collectors and pay for and procure the Special Tax Stamp or Stamps they need, prior to May 1, 1874, and without further Notice.

J. W. DOUGLASS,
Commissioner of Internal Revenue.
Office of Internal Revenue,
Washington D. C. February 16, 1874.
38-4t.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

Estate of A. H. Coffield.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment a Assignee of A. H. Coffield of Martin County, who has been ajudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

WILSON G. LAMB, Assignee,
30-3t. Williamston, N. C.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of Joseph Leary.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Joseph Leary of Bertie County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

D. C. WINSTON, Assignee,
36—3t. Winston,

AWAKE AND ASLEEP. These Oils will be sent mounted complete for framing on receipt of 50 cts. Two new Chromos SMILES and TEARS, same price. A Beautiful Bouquet of Flowers for 35 cts., or two different subjects for 60 cts. For those in need of business, we have the brightest and best selling Chromos in the market. If you would secure an independence, send $5.00 for a portfolio and a stock of Chromos, and commence work at once. Particulars free, or illustrated circular on receip of three-cent stamp.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

Estate of Henry Knabe.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of Henry Knabe onf Chowan Co., N. C., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

J. L. BALL, Assignee,
Elizabeth City, N. C.
36-3t.

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NORTH CAROLINIAN

WEDNESDAY, MAR 11, 1874.

TO NORTHERN VISITORS.

Elizabeth City is 50 miles South East of Norfolk, Va. Parties coming here from the North should take passage on the Bay line steamers which leave Baltimore at 4 P. M. every evening, and arrive at Portsmouth the next morning in time to connect with the Elizabeth City Steamers daily.

THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

We call attention to the following new advertisements in this issue.
Administrator's Notice.
Notice.
Dr. Tutt's Hair Dye.
Notice.

Local and Personal.

☞ The latest New York quotations are: Gold, 111¼c; Cotton 16½; Corn, 81c. At Norfolk, Cotton 14¼c. No quotations for Corn, the market being dull.

☞ The Bridge case referred to in our last issue was decided in favor of the Plaintiffs—three of the Commissioners favoring them and two voting in favor of the Defendants.

☞ An effort is being made to establish a daily mail at Morrisett's Wharf in Camden county. The people need it, and if it can be done with so little expense, it ought to be done.

☞ We call especial attention to the valuable stock advertised by the Administrator of the late Maj. F. D. BUNNELL, deceased. Some of it is probably the best ever brought into this section of the State. Lovers of fine horses would do well to attend the sale.

☞ There is an Elizabeth City legend to the effect that a party desiring to transact some private business with another, was invited by the other to step with him into a neighboring store. "But we will be disturbed there," said the first party. "Oh, no," said the second party, "they *don't advertise.*"

☞ "Father," said a young lady in a village not a thousand miles from Elizabeth City the other morning, "have you seen my cantata?" "Canned tartar," roared the old gentleman, letting his paper fall to the floor, "have they got to canning them fellows? Zounds! I wonder what in creation they'll can next!" The young lady explained.

☞ We had the pleasure of a visit this week from our old friend W. L. LANCE, formerly from Pennsylvania, but now proprietor of the Industrial Iron Works at Norfolk Va. He came out in his fast sailing little steamer the "Zephyr," and returned to day. Mr. LANCE is a man of wonderful energy and enterprize and wherever he is no grass is suffered to grow under his feet.

☞ On Thursday last on application of Mayor LUDLOW, of Norfolk, a warrant of rendition was issued by the Governor of Virginia upon the Governor of this State for the delivery to JOHN F. EVANS, agent appointed to receive him, the colored man W. E. BRIGHT laying in jail here charged with the larceny of the horse and buggy of Mr. MOLONY, of Norfolk.

☞ Has any young lady of the City lost a curl? Or was it a fair lass from the country? If either, and their eye should happen to catch this local it will not have been written in vain. Mr. Post Master PRICE on the street the other day found what he has decided to be a part of the head gear adorning the modern girl of the period—a very pretty curl. As its loss may be lamented and sadly felt by the owner he will deliver it on call.

☞ The new Hall of Achore Lodge of the Order of Odd Fellows at this place, as we have before stated, is in the third story of the large building of BRODRICK & SMITH on Water Street. It is large, well ventilated and has been especially arranged for all the working purposes of the craft. It has just been fitted up with very fine new furniture, new carpets, and all the modern paraphanalia of a first class Lodge. We believe that it is not only the best planned but also the most handsomely furnished Odd Fellows Lodge in the State.

☞ The tone and temper of the "Address to the Republican Party of Pasquotauk county" are so respectful that we have no hesitation in acceding to the request in publishing it. Individually we have long favored the principle suggested. It is *practical* minority representation. Were the practice made uniform—in Democratic counties and cities as well as Republican—we have faith to believe, so far as Commissioners are concerned, it would work for the common good. But what would such Democratic counties as Currituck and Gates and others in the District say about it? Suppose "Conservatives" suggest that they make the offer. See if *they* are disposed to be "generous."

☞ We have received several letters from Col. W. F. GRAY, the English tourist who lately visited our City, all of them speaking of the good impression made on him here and of his purpose to induce so far as possible the English people he represents who desire to emigrate to come to Eastern North Carolina. In one of his letters dated at Philadelphia, he says: "By a streak of good luck I got hold of a copy of your valuable issue of the 25th and I am making good use of it. Rest assured that I am doing, and *will* do a good work for Elizabeth City, for never was I so favorably impressed with a section of country or with a people as your own." He sails for England to-morrow.

——Since the above was written we have received another letter from Col. GRAY, dated at New York. In consequence of being damaged in the late severe gale, the Steamer "Silesia," in which he had intended sailing to-morrow, has postponed leaving until the 19th, at which time he will take passage for England. In the mean time he has been at work, and by circulars sent us we see that Elizabeth City is one of his objective points.

☞ In riding through the country we observe that the farmers are busy preparing their ground for corn and cotton. The wheat fields look promising. The roads are now in excellent condition.

☞ Judge ALBERTSON held Court in Bertie County last week. There were over twenty cases on the criminal docket. A Windsor correspondent of the Norfolk *Landmark*, in referring to Judge ALBERTSON says: "He is a good Judge and a true specimen of a gentleman." This is conceded by all. He not only presides in Court with dignity and ability but his deportment in the social circle and elsewhere is such as to command the highest respect from all who make his acquaintance. We believe that it is now admitted, even by those who politically disagree with him, that he is one of the ablest Judges on the North Carolina Bench. If our people act wisely they will keep him there, at least for another term.

☞ Through carelessness and neglect the Cemetery had so grown up with weeds and shrubbery as to present a very untidy appearance,—indeed it had become an eyesore to all lovers of good taste. A week or so ago two of the energetic ladies of the City put their heads together and soon devised a plan to make the needed improvement. They started out with a subscription, raised some money, set men to work under their instructions and already the Cemetery begins to look neat and tidy and clean. They have expended the funds raised—a little over $25—and to finish they need about as much more. *By all means they should have it.* Indeed, in looking over the work they have had done we are surprized to see that so much has been accomplished with so little money. The ladies who have undertaken the task, and it was no light one, are Mrs. C. C. GREENE and Miss EMMA SPEED. They have not only given their time but assumed a responsibility that required pluck and perseverance. Their efforts are certainly deserving of praise, and surely our citizens now that a little more money is needed, will not withhold it from them. Do not wait for the ladies to make another personal appeal, but go voluntarily and at once, to either Mrs. GREENE or Miss SPEED and show that you appreciate their benevolent labors by contributing to pay the necessary expenses to make the work complete.

☞ A depressing dullness prevails the local news market. A real, solid item is difficult to get, and most of the local papers help themselves out by a judicious but vigorous use of the *scissors and paste cup.* We can imagine nothing so forlone as a country editor coming into his office on a morning and surveying, in his minds eye, the pile of work that *must be done.* All the columns are unfilled, awaiting the strokes of the pen that will endow them with life, and the pen itself is clasped in nerveless fingers and refuses to move! Work is easy when the mind is bright, when the machine is even in indifferent order—but what a drag when the opposite is the fact, and nothing of interest will happen to "work up." The horse in the treadmill has often been cited as a comparison; but he, poor brute as he is, has something to spur him up and force him to work. But here, no matter what else presses; whether the day be dark or light, whether it rains or shines, whether the soul be exultant or depressed, *the inexorable demands of the public must be met.* There are martyrs to duty, heroes in a great cause who gradually and in a blaze of glory give up their lives for an idea. *The humble toilers of the pen die and make no sign.* From work to work they go through the wine press and give out beneath the pressure what little is left of them. The wonder is not that some few have done brilliant writing but that so many average men can stand the drain so long. Do not complain if the paper is sometimes dull. Remember that we are all but human, and that the most vigorous mind must grow weary for the rest that never comes.

LOCAL PORT-FOLIO.

Rooted sorrow—an aching tooth. The dress circle—crinoline. To curb a fast young man—bridal him. "Watts on the mind"—too often nothing. Practicing with a dumb belle—talking brilliantly to a dumb but pretty woman. Paper for the roughs—sand paper. The wave on which many a poor fellow has been carried away—the wave of a blue-edged cambric handkerchief.

LOCAL BRIEFS:—All the Fisheries are now in operation.—The Peach and Plum trees are in bloom.—Capt. WATERS will soon have raddishes ready for shipping. His peas are the finest we have seen.—The flower gardens are beginning to look attractive.—The pavements in front of the M. E. Church needs repairing. Will the "City Fathers" see to it?—The list of Jurors for Spring Term of Court is published this week.—Mayor SHAW is off on a short visit North.—The Sheppard Street Mill is making excellent flour and meal.—The price of Corn is looking down.—Read the New advertisements this week.—More arrivals from the North.—The Steam Dredge engaged by WHITCOMBS has arrived.

Business Locals.

Still as low as ever—merchandise at Fowler's.

Just received and for sale a large assortment of Spectacles at F. M. COOK's.

In addition to Shingles we are prepared to furnish parties with Lumber of all sizes at the Sheppard Street Mills.

The American Sardine Company's Boneless Sardines are much better, and less than half the cost of imported Sardines. 36—1yr.

Everything in the Dry Goods, Clothing, or Notion line can be had at the large house of Lowenburg & Jacobs, 22 & 24 Market Square, Norfolk, Va. The fair dealing of this firm is drawing an immense trade from North Carolina.

FISHERY.

We would announce to the public that our Fishery is now in operation.
HOLLOWELL & PERRY.

The one price store on Water Street, we mean Fowler's—is the place to buy goods.

Ice.

I have just received a large Cargo of ice. During the Fishing season I will be absent, but Maj. HARNEY, with whom I leave the key of the Ice House will take pleasure in waiting on customers.
WALTER SCOTT.
37-2t.

A CARD.

We the undersigned will, from and after this date, until further notice, sell the BEST CALICOS AT 10c PER YARD, **Exclusively for Cash**.
J. SALOMONSKY & Co.
S. WISEL,
BRODRICK & SMITH.
March 11th, 1874.

A correspondent of a Richmond paper writes: "Just after we left Rounceville, Judge O., of Charlottsville, commenced his jokes, and soon had all the passengers in a roar, 'I'll tell you what I can do' said the Judge to a correspondent of a New York paper; 'you may think of any tune you please, whether I have heard it or not, and by seeing you keep the time with your fingers I can tell you what you are playing.' The correspondent was sceptical. After thinking a moment, he commenced piano playing on the back of the seat in front of him, with all the grace of the professional. 'What am I playing now?' he asked, eagerly, and with an air of triumph. 'You are playing the fool,' replied the judge.

The new postage law brings a considerable revenue from the New York advertising agencies. Geo. P. Rowell & Co's quarterly bills upon newspapers received exceed $430; those of S. M. Pettengill & Co., are above $350, while the agencies of W. J. Carlton, Bates & Locke, W. W. Sharpe and others most prominent, pay from one fourth to one eighth of the above amounts.

Now they want to know if one of the Siamese twins had been convicted of murder in the first degree, what would have been done about it.

The bills in the House of Representatives for the protection of the buffalo are better than the origin al Buffalo Bill.

Holes can be drilled in plate glass by keeping the edges of the drill wet with turpentine.

Many a Western saloon keeper would like to hold a pistol at his head and say die, oh, Lewis.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

AT THE ALBEMARLE HOUSE

J. I. Evans, E. Lance, R. C. Baylor, W. L. Lance, Frank Morris, Samuel Hayes, Thos. Green, T. O. Woodard, Norfolk, Va.; W. H. Holland, L. F. Cox, Baltimore; Daniel Bagley, Hertford; A. A. Perry, J. L. Foster, Edenton, N. C.; Mrs. W. J. Hand, Pa.; J. H. Brown Jr., Washington N. C.

THE GREAT ANTAGONIST OF DISEASE.—What is the natural antagonist of disease? It is vital principle. From the moment that disease is developed in the system, this champion fights the intruder until it either conquers or is conquered. Which side should medicinal science espouse in this life and death struggle? Should it depress and cripple the physical energies of the patient, thereby helping the disorder, or should it reinforce the vitality of the patient, thereby assist in quelling the ailment? Of course the proper answer to this question must be obvious to every one above the grade of an idiot or a lunatic, and hence it follows that the weak and broken down invalid who chooses to dose himself with depleting slops, instead of toning, invigorating and vitalizing his enervated frame with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, must be either feeble minded or deranged. Surely nothing short of imbecility or insanity could induce a a person laboring under bodily weakness and nervous prostrating, to take day after day powerful doses of some drastic purgative in the hope of gaining strength thereby. Although charlatans may advertise preparations of this character as tonics, people in the full possession of their reason can not, one would think, accept them as such. If they do the penalty of their credulity may be the dyspeptic, the billious, the debilitated and nervous and all who are subject to intermittents, or other diseases brought on by the inclement weather which prevails at this season, will do well to strengthen their nerves, with the Bitters. The two-sold operation of the restorative as an invigorant and an aperient, in addition to its direct and specific effect upon the disordered liver, renders it a most efficient remedy for complaints of the digestive, secretive and excretive organs, at present in use. This fact is corboled by eminent members of the faculty whose testimony to that effect is published in Hostetter's Almanac for 1874.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

OBSTACLES TO MARRIAGE

Happy Relief for Young Men from the effects of Errors and Abuses in early life. Manhood Restored. Imbediments to Marriage removed. New method of treatment. New and remarkable remedies. Books and Circulars sent free, in sealed envelopes. Address, HOWARD ASSOCIATION, NO. 2 South Ninth St. Philadelphia, Pa.—an Institution having a high reputation for honorable conduct and professional skill.
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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District. }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 20th day of Jan. A. D. 1874, warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of Zenas Fearing Pasquotank County, State of North Carolina, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by them are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of their state, will be held at Elizabeth City N.C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 12th day of Mar. A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M.
R. M. DOUGLAS, *U. S. Marshal.*
Wm. GLOVER, *Deputy U. S. M. as Messenger*
35--3t.

State of North Carolina, } SUPERIOR COURT.
Martin County: }
Henry B. Roboson, Plaintiff.
Against
William E. Ford and wife Annie E., L. D. Marshall and wife S. A., J. Hodges and wife Augusta, G. D. Cherry, L. C. Cherry, M. E. Cherry and W. P. Cherry, Defendants.

PETITION TO SELL LAND FOR A DIVISION.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court from the return made by the Sheriff and affidavit of the Plaintiff that the Defendants W. E. Ford and wife Annie E., L. D. Marshal, & wife S. A., J. Hodges & wife Aug'sta, G. D. Cherry, L. C. Cherry M. E. Cherry & W. P. Cherry, cannot be found in this county, and are supposed to reside beyond the limits of this State. It is therefore ordered that publication be made in the North Carolinian, a newspaper published in Elizabeth City, for six weeks successively, notifying them to be and appear before this Court at the Clerk's office in Williamston on Monday the 9th day of March next, there and then to plead, answer or demur, to the complaint of the above named plantiff otherwise the same will be taken pro confesso as to them, and an order of sale granted accordingly.
Witness Joseph M. Siterson, clerk of said Court, at Williamston, this 27th, day of January 1874.
JOS. M. SITERSON,
Superior Court Clerk.
32-6t.

ROWELL'S COLUMN

NEW YORK DAY BOOK

A Democratic Weekly, Established 1850 It supports White Supremacy, political and social. Terms $2 per year. To clubs, nine copies for $8. Specimen copies Free. Address, DAY BOOK, New York City.

$250,000 for $50

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60,000 Tickets, 12,000 Gifts

LIST OF GIFTS.

ONE GRAND CASH GIFT			$250,000
" " " "			100,000
" " " "			50,000
" " " "			25,000
" " " "			17,500
10 CASH GIFTS	$10,000	each	100,000
30 " "	5,000	"	150,000
50 " "	1,000	"	50,000
80 " "	500	"	40,000
100 " "	400	"	40,000
150 " "	300	"	45,000
250 " "	200	"	50,000
325 " "	100	"	32,500
11,000 " "	50	"	550,000
Total 12,000 Gifts, all in Cash amounting to			$1,500,000

☞ The Concert and Distribution of Gifts will positively and unequivocally take place on the day now fixed, whether all the tickets are sold or not, and the 12,000 gifts all paid in proportion to the number of tickets sold.

PRICE OF TICKETS.

Whole tickets, $50; Halves, $25; Tenths, or each coupon, $5; Eleven Whole Tickets for $500; 22½ Tickets for $1000; 113 Whole Tickets for $5,000; 227 Whole Tickets for $10,000. No discount on less than $500 worth of tickets.

The time for the drawing is near at hand, and persons intending to purchase tickets have no time to lose.
THOS. E. BRAMLETTE,
Agent Public Libary Ky., and Manager Gift Concert, Public Library Building Louisville, Ky

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPECY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy.
For the Albemarle District. }

In the matter of Jno. R Drake a Bankrupt—ss.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVE, That a petition has been filed in said court by John R. Drake of Northapton county, and State of North Carolina, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 12th, day of March 1874, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the office of T. W. Costen, Register in Bankruptcy, in Elizabeth City, N. C., is assigned for the hearing of the same, when and where all creditors, who have proved their debts, and other persons in interest may attend and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted; and that the second meeting will be held at the same time and place

Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C. on the 13th day of Feb., a. d. 1874.
26-3t. M. B. CULPEPPER, *Clerk.*

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy
for the Albemarle District. }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 3rd day of Jan. A. D. 1874, warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of D. M. Lee of Chowan County, and the State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use; and the transfer of any property of by him are forbiddenby law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrut to prove their dobts and to chose one or more assignees of his state, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to b holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 5th, day of Feb., A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M.
R. M. DOUGLAS, *U. S Marshal,*
WM. GLOVER *Deputy U. S. M. as Messenger.*
31—3t

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To be drawn Monday, March 30th, 1874.
ONE GRAND CAPITAL PRIZE,
$10,000 In Gold!
ONE PRIZE
$5000 In Silver!

Five Prizes	$1000
Five Prizes	$500
Ten Prizes	$100

Greenbacks.

Two Family Carriages and Matched Horses with Silver-Mounted Harness, worth $1,500 each!
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Two Fine-toned Rosewood Pianos, worth $5.50 each!
Ten Family Sewing Machines worth $100 each!
1500 *Gold and Silver Lever Hunting Watches (in all,) worth from $20 to $300 each!*
Gold Chains, Silver-ware, Jewelry, &c., &c.
Number of Gifts 10,000.
Tickets limited to 50,000.
Agents Wanted to sell Tickets, to whom Liberal Premiums will be paid.
Single Tickets $2; Six Tickets $10; Twelve Tickets $20; Twenty-Five $40.
Circulars containing a full list of prizes, a description of the manner of drawing, and other information in reference to the Distribution, will be sent to any one ordering them. All letters must be address to
MAIN OFFICE, L. D. SINE, Box 86,
101 W. Fifth St. CINCINNATI, O.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of D. M. Lee.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of D. M. Lee of Currituck County, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.
J. L. BALL, Assignee.
36-3t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE

Estate of K. R. Pendleton.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of K. R. Pendleton o Perquimans Co., who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.
J. L. BALL, Assignee,
30-4t. Elizabeth City, N. C.

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24-1y *A. H. WHITCOMB, Proprietor.*

MISCELLANEOUS.

PUBLIC SALE.

A. Wilder and Son } vs. W. W. Griffin
Schr. Spray & owners } Schr. Spray & owners.

By authority of the Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, entitled "An Act for the Relief of Mechanics and others, known as the Mechanic's "Lien Law;"

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, To all whom it may concern:—That on the 30th day of April next ensuing at 12 o'clock M., at the foot of "Long Bridge" on the premises of A. McFarney, Elizabeth City, N. C., will be SOLD at public auction for cash the Schooner "Spray," to satisfy and pay the sum of Four Hundred and Thirty-three Dollars and Twenty-two Cents due and owing A. Wilder & Son for work and labor, &c., on said Schooner; also the further sum of Sixty-seven Dollars and Twenty-two Cents due and owing W. W. Griffin for lumber furnished for repairs of said Schooner "Spray" as per accounts filed with the Clerk of the Superior Court of Pasquotank County, N. C., as also to pay all costs attending thissale.
W. W. GRIFFIN.
Elizabeth City, N. C., Jan. 28th, 1874.
33-12t.—(for pr. $10.)

NOTICE IN BANKRUPCY.

District Court of the United States, } In Bankruptcy:
for the Albemarle District. }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 19th day of Feb. A. D. 1874 a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of J. E. Mitchell, of Bertie County, and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use; and the transfer of any property of by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his state, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 12th day of Mar. A. D. 1874, at 10 o'clock A. M.
R. M. DOUGLAS, U. S. *Marshal,*
WM. GLOVER *Deputy U. S. as Messenger.*
36-3t.

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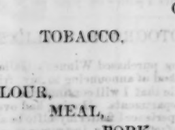

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Until further notice no Boat to Norfolk on Saturdays, and no Boat from Norfolk on Mondays.
The Steamer Harbinger connected with the Norfolk steamer, will leave Elizabeth City for Columbia and Spruill's Bridge every Tuesday, at 4 o'clock A. M., Returning on Wednesday, for Hertford and Stony Landing every Thursday at 7 o'clock, A. M., and returning on Friday.
Freight for the above places received daily from sunrise to sundown. For further information apply to
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ON
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The subscriber takes pleasure in announcing to the people of Elizabeth City and surrounding country that he has taken possession of the brick building one door North of Fowlers on Water Street, Elizabeth City, N. C., in which he has a complete assortment of
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SHOES,
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Groceries
such as.
SUGAR,
COFFEE.
TEA,
MOLASSES, ETC
All of which he will sell at PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.
W. C. McCUTCHEON,
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This Stock will be kept replenished from the best Markets in the Country. Clothing made to order and fit guaranteed. Call and see our goods.
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The subscriber has a large number of Juniper Posts on his wharf, on Water Street, for sale very cheap. He is also prepared to supply Juniper Rails of good quality, at all times. Orders may be left with Mr. Montgomery, one door North of Fowlers.
N. R. ZIMMERMAN
Elizabeth City, N. C., Jan. 28, 1874. tf.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Will be sold at Sheriff's Sale at the Court House door of Camden county on Tuesday the 7th day of April, 1874 a tract of land situated in Court House Township, Camden county, N. C., bounded as follows, to wit;

Beginning at the bridge at the corner of John W. Nash's land, thence down the Gumberry road to the corner of the fence on the said road, thence down the said fence to John C. Nash's land or the Bell heirs' land, thence down the said Bell heirs' land to the place of beginning, containing 12 acres; to be sold for Taxes as the land of the estate of James Wilkins.

At the same time and place another tract of land situated on Raymonds Creek in the Township of Shiloh and county aforesaid; butted and bounded as follows, to wit;

Beginning at a cedar at the Northeast corner of Frederick Garrett's land, thence running a southwardly course binding said Garrett's land to the head of a sluice, thence down the sluice southwardly to the Pasquotank River, thence binding said River to Raymonds Creek, thence Northwardly binding said Creek to John Leary's line, thence by various courses binding said Leary's line to the place of beginning, containing 39 acres, to be sold for taxes as the land of Zion H. Berry.

Terms of both sales CASH.
D. D. FERRERE, Sheriff.
Camden C. H., March 4th, 1874-tf

BANKRUPT SALE OF REVERSIONARY INTERESTS.

Will be Sold on Monday, April 20th next before the Court House door in the county of Currituck between the hours of 10 and 3 o'clock the Reversionary Interest of J. W. Baxter and on Saturday, April 25th next, before the Court House door in the county of Dare between the hours of 10 and 4 o'clock the Reversionary Interests of Samuel Mann in the lands surrendered by the above named parties in their schedule in Bankruptcy. The sales are made in pursuance of law and parties purchasing will have made to them a deed in fee upon complying with the terms which is cash.
JAMES L. BALL,
Assignee.
March 3rd, 1874.

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Elizabeth City, N. C. 33-3m.

Steaming Fodder.

At the meeting of the Massachusetts State Board of Agriculture, at Fitchburg Mr. Bela J. Stone, of Westborro, in stating his system of feeding said: "I have always had a great desire to find some way of preparing my course fodder so as to make it more palatable to my cattle. I have watched Mr. Birnie's operations at Springfield for years, and have been at his place time and again, and investigated his method, and I have felt satisfied that he was keeping fifty head of cattle on less fodder than I was keeping twenty-five head upon, and I made up my mind that I would try the experiment. I steamed my food the last part of last winter, and I am pursuing the same course now, and I am well satisfied with the results at present, although some of my friends have told me that I should soon abandon it; that there are those all around us who have tried it thoroughly and abandoned it, and I should do the same; but I cannot now say when that time will come, for the longer I do it the better I like it and appreciate it. I remember that in conversation with Mr. Birnie in regard to it, he informed me that he had been steaming the food for his cattle nine years.

"Such an opinion from one who had tried the experiment, strengthened my faith and last season I put in a tubular boiler of two-horse power, made a large box, mixed my food as well as I could—as I should to feed good feed—wet it thoroughly with water, put it into my box, attached it to the pipe from the boiler by a coupling, and steamed and cooked it thoroughly all day, with as much pressure of steam as the box would bear. I found, by weighing my coarse fodder straw and corn fodder, and weighing my meal, that I could furnish the raw material for forty head of cattle at a cost of less than four dollars a day, or about ten cents a head. And I can say this, that I never saw the cattle so perfectly satisfied with what they ate, so contented, so ready to be shown at any time; they are as ready to have a man come to the barn within an hour or half an hour after they are fed, as at any time; they are perfectly contented, and thrive better than they did before, when I undertook to feed them on dry hay and dry meal. I began this season as early as the middle of November to steam my food, and I am satisfied that my cows give more milk, that the young cattle thrive better, and I am satisfied that they are as healthy, and I do not see that it is any more liable to hurt them than it is to hurt us to have our food cooked nicely. It makes the coarse fodder soft, it makes it very palatable and they like it, and it satisfies them at a less expense than I can do it in any other way."

Cotton seed and Cotton Planting.

In cotton culture it is the worst of bad management to plant inferior seed, because it would cost something to buy the best, but, as we have repeatedly urged, every planter should, by continual selection and high cultivation, make his own seed, and take pride in having the best. Begin with the Dickson seed, or any better sort, if there be any better, and improve upon that till you have something as much better than the Dickson as the Dickson is better than the common. We are accustomed to boast of the perfection to which cotton culture has been brought in this country, and with some reason, but there is still room for improvement—something to learn by those not too wise in their own conceit to accept new truths. Only general rules for the culture of any crop can be given, when they are to be applied to various conditions of soil, climate and season. Experience must determine the exceptions and good judgment guide the planter at every step.

Castor Oil as a Leather Preservative.

A correspondent of the *Germantown Telegraph*, who says he has tested all the patented preparations and popular receipes for preserving leather, prefers castor oil to all of them. He adds:—"We have had boots a year old that we have oiled with it, and the leather was soft, smooth and water-proof to the last time they were used. We apply it clear without heat. A little lampblack might be used on old leather, but is seldom necessary on new, as the oil itself seems to keep the blacking on, and renders the leather black and of fine appearance. Those who have been annoyed with hard, cracked, watersoaked boots, the surface of the latter rough, without blacking, and the leather shrunken and wrinkled, so as to chafe, gall and otherwise punish the feet, will find castor oil, well applied, to be satisfactory. We have used it for wagons and buggies, and find it is in every way superior. It will wear longer, lubricate better, and is less objectionable than anything we know of.

Remedy for foot Rot.

An Australian correspondent of *Bell's Messenger* gives that paper the following receipe for curing foot rot, which is much more convenient for owners of large flocks than the remedies most in use here:

Make a solution of arsenic, 2 oz, to the gallon of water. (The mineral will dissolve quicker if the water is boiled, with the addition of a little soda.) Put this solution in a suitable trough and run the sheep slowly through the liquor, once a week for two weeks. Then examine the feet, and if any remain not cured, pare away the separated portions of the hoof, so that the liquor will reach all parts diseased; then run them through once more.

Manure for Potatoes.

American Agriculturist: Potatoes succeed best with thoroughly rotted manure in which no more fermentation can take place. A very excellent compost for potatoes is swamp muck, bone-dust, and plaster. One load of muck, 100 pounds of fine bone-dust, and a bushel (80 lbs) of plaster make a very useful fertilizer when stable manure can not be procured. Fish guano makes a good substitute for the bone.

The press law of Japan prohibits newspapers from discussing the laws, attacking the Government, or publishing any articles of an evil tendency. The penalties vary from the chain gang to being burnt alive.

"Why do you choose to live a single life?" asked a fashionable idler of an estimable young lady. "Because," she replied, "I am not able to support a husband."

When you hear a man say the world owes him a living, don't leave any moveable articles, particularly any bank bills, lying around loose.

In a meeting of Chicago saloon keepers one of them argued their immense political power "because all the politicians frequent drinking places."

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Dr. J. Walker's California Vinegar Bitters are a purely Vegetable preparation, made chiefly from the native herbs found on the lower ranges of the Sierra Nevada mountains of California, the medicinal properties of which are extracted therefrom without the use of Alcohol. The question is almost daily asked, "What is the cause of the unparalleled success of VINEGAR BITTERS?" Our answer is, that they remove the cause of disease, and the patient recovers his health. They are the great blood purifier and a life-giving principle, a perfect Restorator and Invigorator of the system. Never before in the history of the world has a medicine been compounded possessing the remarkable qualities of VINEGAR BITTERS in healing the sick of every disease man is heir to. They are a gentle Purgative as well as a Tonic, relieving Congestion or Inflammation of the Liver and Visceral Organs, in Bilious Diseases.

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Bilious, Remittent, and Intermittent Fevers, which are so prevalent in the valleys of our great rivers throughout the United States, especially those of the Mississippi, Ohio, Missouri, Illinois, Tennessee, Cumberland, Arkansas, Red, Colorado, Brazos, Rio Grande, Pearl, Alabama, Mobile, Savannah, Roanoke, James, and many others, with their vast tributaries, throughout our entire country during the Summer and Autumn, and remarkably so during seasons of unusual heat and dryness, are invariably accompanied by extensive derangements of the stomach and liver, and other abdominal viscera. In their treatment, a purgative, exerting a powerful influence upon these various organs, is essentially necessary. There is no cathartic for the purpose equal to DR. J. WALKER'S VINEGAR BITTERS, as they will speedily remove the dark-colored viscid matter with which the bowels are loaded, at the same time stimulating the secretions of the liver, and generally restoring the healthy functions of the digestive organs.

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Jaundice.—In all cases of jaundice, rest assured that your liver is not doing its work. The only sensible treatment is to promote the secretion of the bile and favor its removal. For this purpose use VINEGAR BITTERS.

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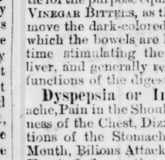

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WM. C. DAWSON.
E. City, May 11, 1871.—tf.

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Real Estate Agent,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

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A desirable house and lot in the town of Elizabeth City on the corner of two principal streets, the principal one, and situated in the best business locality in the town. The lot contains about two acres of land, and the buildings consist of a fair dwelling three stories high, containing eight rooms, all in good order, another two story building with four rooms and pantries, dairy, smokehouses, stables, &c. The dwelling has a good cellar under it. There is room on the front lot to erect two good stores, and they would occupy the best stand in the town for merchandize.

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Estate of A. H. Coffield.

The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment a Assignee of A. H. Coffield of Martin County, who has been ajudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina.

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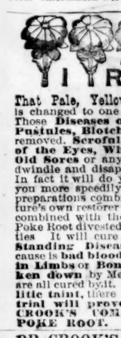

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NEWARK, N. J., Sept. 20, 1873.

MESSRS. JAMES SUTTON & Co.

Gentlemen:—I am delighted with the proofs in color of your chromos. They are wonderfully successful repreaentations by mechanical process of the original paintings.

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Dated at Elizabeth City, N. C., on the 22th day of Dec. A. D. 1873.

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